



**PATENT**

**THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/579,069 Group Art Unit: 3673  
Filing Date: February 9, 2007 Examiner: William J. Kelleher  
Applicant: Nils Eric STJERNA  
Title: SEPARATED POCKET SPRING MATTRESS WITH CUT  
THROUGH STRING, AND METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
PRODUCTION OF SUCH MATTRESS  
Attorney Docket: 10400C-000234/US

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July 23, 2010

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed January 26, 2010 and the Interview conducted May 25, 2010 and concurrent with the filing of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), the shortened statutory period for reply having been extended three (3) months to July 26, 2010 by a Petition for Extension of Time filed herein, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this Amendment,

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this Amendment.

	<b>CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT</b>		<b>HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR</b>		<b>PRESENT EXTRA</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	26	-	26	=	0
<b>INDEPENDENT</b>	3	-	3	=	0